

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	OHARA et al.)	Examiner:	Anand U. Desai
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Application No.:	10/594,707)	Group Art Unit:	1656
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Filed:	January 19, 2007)	Confirmation No.:	9479
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Docket No.:	3190-100)	Customer No.:	33432

For: GENE ENCODING A GUANINE NUCLEOTIDE EXCHANGE
FACTOR AND THE GENE PRODUCT THEREOF

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

June 26, 2009

Sir:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated April 27, 2009, for which the Examiner has set a three-month period for response, thus making the response due on or before July 27, 2009.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.